

Speakers Bureau

Need a speaker for your next Component or District Meeting?

These members of the Omaha District Dental Society (ODDS) are available to provide continuing education sessions at your next district meeting.

What to do:

- Set a date, location, and time (an hour? half day? full day?) for your meeting.
- Contact the speaker(s) for their availability.
- Provide speaker with information regarding number of anticipated participants, location, AV equipment, honoraria, travel expenses, etc.
- Publicize your meeting to your members.

For More Information

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Hardeep Chehal, DDS – Board-Certified Oral Pathologist
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Hour-Long **Half-Day** **Full Day**

Will present on any oral pathology topic, according to request for hour-long, half day, or full day continuing education.



Natalie Frost, DDS – Periodontist
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Hour-Long **Half-Day**

Background

- BS from Rockhurst University, graduating with honors and summa cum laude
- DDS from Creighton University School of Dentistry, graduating summa cum laude and ranked first in her class
- 3-Year Periodontics residency at University of Texas Health Science Center - San Antonio
- While in Texas, completed a Master of Science degree and Certificate in Periodontics

Memberships

- ADA / NDA / ODDS
- Omicron Kappa Upsilon - National Dental Honor Society
- Southwest Society of Periodontists
- American Academy of Periodontology

Service

- New Dentist Committee / NDA
- Nominations Committee / ODDS

Topics in the field of Periodontics

- Periodontal Plastic Surgery
- Combined Perio & Restorative Treatment for NCCLs
- Guided Surgical Implant Placement
- Alternatives to Anterior Implant Placement
- Ridge Preservation Techniques
- Other lecture topics in the field of periodontics by request



Ken Hermsen, DDS – Forensic Dentist / Endodontist

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- ☑ **Hour-Long**
- ☑ **Half-Day**
- ☑ **Full Day**

Background

- BS in Chemistry from UNL College of Arts and Science
- DDS from UNMC College of Dentistry
- MS and Certificate in Endodontics from UNMC College of Dentistry and UNL Graduate College Dental Officer, USDHHS/NDMS Region 7 Disaster Mortuary Operational Response Team (DMORT)
- State Team Leader, Nebraska Forensic Dental Identification Team
- Chair, Omaha Metro Medical Response System Mass Fatality Subcommittee
- Mass Fatality Advisor, Sarpy County Coroner's Office and the State of Nebraska
- Deputy Team Leader, Medical Reserve Corps Decontamination Team
- Past President, Omaha District

Forensic Dentistry Topics

- Overall discussion of dentistry's role in victim identification
- Disaster Victim Identification
- Bite Mark Analysis
- Determining age and season of death using Dental Cementum Increment Analysis

Endodontic Topics

- Strategies for anesthetic failures;
- Management of difficult endodontic cases;
- WaveOne instrumentation;
- GuttaCore obturation



Kort A. Igel, DDS, MS – Orthodontist

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- ☑ **One/Two Hour Presentations**

Background

- Clinical Professor, Department of Orthodontics, Creighton University School of Dentistry (1985-1990)
- Clinical Professor, Department of Orthodontics, UNMC College of Dentistry (1985-1990)
- Hospital staff: 1993-1999
 - * Boys Town National Research Hospital
 - * Children's Hospital
 - * Methodist Hospital
 - * Immanuel Medical Center
 - * Midlands Community Hospital
- Published in the American Journal of Orthodontics three times
- Multiple presentations on orthodontic treatments to dental professionals in the Omaha Metro Area

Topics

- Benefits of early orthodontic treatment
- Class II correction (children and adults)
- Class II correction with airway considerations
- Class II correction without headgears
- Advancements in Orthodontics
- Adult orthodontic treatment
- Unusual orthodontic treatments
- Phase I/ Phase II orthodontic treatment
- Non-extraction vs. Extractions in orthodontic treatment
- Surgical exposures during orthodontic treatment
- Pre- and Post-Surgical Orthodontics
- Other topics as requested



Takanari Miyamoto, DDS, PhD, CAGS, MSD, MBA – Periodontist

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- Half-Day** **Full Day**

Background

- DDS from Creighton University School of Dentistry
- Master of Science from Boston University
- Three year specialty training in Periodontics and further study of Clinical Periodontics & Implantology from Boston University
- PhD from Nihon University
- Summer Institute of Clinical Research Methods, Clinical Epidemiology, and Biostatistics from University of Washington and Johns Hopkins University
- Assistant Professor, Boston University Goldman School of Dental Medicine
- Adjunct faculty, UNMC College of Dentistry
- Private practice limited to Periodontics and Dental Implants, LaVista, NE
- Recipient of the Bud and Linda Tarrson Fellowship
- "Evidence-Based Champion" by American Dental Association
- Educator Award of Excellence in Teaching and Mentoring Periodontics American Academy of Periodontology (AAP), 2008, 2013
- ODDS Board Member & Delegate to the NDA House of Delegates
- Diplomate American Board of Periodontology
- Widely published and lectures nationally and internationally
- Co-founder of Anatomy and Dental Implant Institute and Perio Health Institute, Japan

SEMINAR – Dental Implant Therapy: The Fate of the Buccal Plate and Aesthetic Ramifications

This course is designed for dental clinicians who desire a more in-depth knowledge in treatment planning, implant design and provisional restorations.

Following the seminar, participants should be able to

- Prosthetically driven implant placement planning with the end in mind
- Guide to choosing case-specific implant designs, abutments and crowns
- Steps to make implant restoration outcomes more predictable in Surgical Guides, Provisional Restorations and Soft Tissue Management



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- One/Two Hour Presentations**

Background

- DDS from University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine
- GPR from St Vincent's Catholic Medical Center, Brooklyn/Queens
- Specialization completed at the Columbia University/Harlem Hospital Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery program
- Diplomate of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Maxillofacial Topics

- **Management of Odontogenic Maxillofacial Infections:** etiology; current indications for referral; hospitalization; appropriate choices for empiric antibiotic therapy; differentiating cellulitis from an abscess; recognizing warning signs and symptoms of a severe or life-threatening infection.
- **Morbidity and Mortality in Outpatient Anesthesia:** Occurrence rate of complications and death in outpatient anesthesia; patient evaluation and pre-op risk assessment; different levels of sedation; managing complications.
- **Book Review: "The Checklist Manifesto by Gawande MD"** The problem of extreme complexity in today's dental and healthcare setting and daily navigating complex algorithms in diagnosis, treatment planning and treatment delivery. The author makes a convincing case of how the simple checklist has enabled the airline industry turn one of the most complex and error-prone industries to the safest. Easy and useful tips in utilizing checklists in everyday patient care.



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☑ **Half-Day** ☑ **Full Day**

Background

- Member ADA/NDA/ODDS
- DDS from Creighton University School of Dentistry
- Diplomate of American Board of Craniofacial Pain
- Diplomate of Academy of Clinical Sleep Disorders Disciplines
- Diplomate of American Board of Craniofacial Dental Sleep Medicine
- Diplomate of the American Board of Dental Sleep Medicine

Topics – Sleep Apnea Basics and Treatment with Oral Appliances

- Signs and symptoms of sleep apnea
- Prevalence of the disease and risks associated with not treating it
- The role of the dentist in treating sleep apnea
- Clinical signs of sleep apnea patients
- Medical and dental treatment options for sleep apnea



Stephanie Vondrak, DDS – Cosmetic Dentist
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☑ **Half-Day** ☑ **Full Day**

Background

- DDS from UNMC College of Dentistry
- Lecturer at UNMC GPR and Oral Surgery Residence programs
- Fellow, American Academy of Craniofacial Pain
- Diplomate, American Board of Craniofacial Dental Sleep Medicine
- More than 500 hours of post-doctorate education including the Pankey Institute, the Schuster Center, and the American Academy of Craniofacial Pain
- Premier Provider of Invisalign orthodontics

Presentations

- **Health-Centered Dentistry: Treatment Planning and Case Acceptance.** Learn definition of health centered dentistry; how to help patients choose long-term dental solutions instead of quick fixes; how to implement simple techniques for increased case acceptance.
- **Temporomandibular Joint Disorders: Diagnosis and Therapy.** Through the use of case studies (using MRIs and ICATs of the TMJ's), discover how to gain an accurate diagnosis, therapy and long-term prognosis for TMD patients. Dr. Vondrak shows several types of splints made and used to treat displaced discs, myofascial pain and/or degenerative joint disease (DJD). Adjunct therapies such as heat therapy, spray and stretch techniques, therapeutic Botox and trigger point injections are presented, along with discussion of the relationship between sleeping disorders and bruxism.
- **Bruxism and Sleep-Disordered Breathing: Explore the relationship between bruxism and sleep apnea, and how to screen for sleep apnea with your existing patients.** Health risks associated with sleep disordered breathing and the dentist's role in helping these patients are discussed. A review of screening techniques for sleep apnea in children, and the impact of sleeping disorders on children's growth and development is offered, as well as a review of preferred sleep appliances and patient management of patients needing appliances, a convincing case of how the simple checklist has enabled the airline industry turn one of the most complex and error-prone industries to the safest. Easy and useful tips in utilizing checklists in everyday patient care.



Karry K. Whitten, DDS – Cosmetic Dentist

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Hour-Long **Half-Day**

Background

- DDS from UNMC College of Dentistry, Honors graduate
- Certificate in Esthetic Dentistry University of Missouri - Kansas City School of Dentistry
- Certification in Invisalign orthodontics and course certification in lip augmentation and Botox treatment
- Candidate, Accreditation in the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry (AACD)
- Graduate, Kois Center
- American Equilibration Society
- America Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry
- Academy of General Dentistry
- Member, ADA / NDA / ODDS
- CEO/President, G2L Touch, Inc.

Topics

- Facial Injectables and Botulenem neurotoxins for cosmetic and therapeutic purposes